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Subject: RE: (Discussion before Response to Jerry) UIC Guidance 34
EPA Guidance-34 Review of State UIC Programs and Revisions.pdf

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From: Dermer, Michele
Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2013 11:44 AM
To: Salera, Jerry@DOC
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Subject: RE: UIC Guidance 34

Hi Jerry,

I am on a short break from my training class and will send a quick reply. I recall an e-mail from George about this - You are referring to a “substantial” program revision (see page 5+ more in Guidance 34). EPA HQ will be involved, there are requirements for noticing in the federal register etc.

Regards, Michele

From: Salera, Jerry@DOC [<mailto:Jerry.Salera@conservation.ca.gov>]
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Subject: UIC Guidance 34

Hi Michele,

In our last meeting in Sacramento, you mentioned that the above guidance is the proper document that we should be following for identifying the requirements for AEs. We are getting this guidance 34 out to our districts and operators needing an AE. Reading through the document, it offers guidance on the requirements for a minor AEs. However, it doesn't discuss anything about the requirements for major AEs (equal or less than 3,000 mg/L TDs). Am I reading this document correctly? Can you please guide us on the **major AE part**. We have operators who are potentially looking at doing major AE applications.

Thank you and regards,

Jerry Salera

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